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Title: **MASTER OPERATING SOFTWARE SYSTEM**

### **ABSTRACT**

A Master Operating Software System stored and/or run on a remote portion of a Split Personal Computer System, or a Multiple Computer System, such that remote users can operate such Master Operating Software System. In one preferred embodiment, the split personal computer system selectively processes video portions, input/output portions, computational portions and storage portions of personal computer tasks, and comprises a remote portion adapted to selectively perform the computational portions and the storage portions of the personal computer tasks, wherein the remote portion has the master operating software system stored thereon, and a local portion adapted to selectively perform the video portions and the input/output portions of the personal computer tasks, wherein the local portion includes a display unit located remotely from the remote portion, an accessory unit in communication with the display unit, an input unit in communication with the accessory unit to input data signals into the accessory unit, and a communication means for interfacing the accessory unit with the remote portion of the split personal computer system for permitting data signals received by the accessory unit from the input unit to be transmittable from the accessory unit to the remote portion of the split personal computer system.